

COATINGS FOR IMPLANTABLE DEVICES INCLUDING BIOLOGICALLY
ERODABLE POLYESTERS AND METHODS FOR FABRICATING THE SAME

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5 ABSTRACT

A medical article comprising an implantable substrate having a coating is disclosed,
the coating comprising a biologically erodable polymer having the glass transition
temperature below about -50°C . The biologically erodable polymer can be blended with a
polymeric additive which either has the glass transition temperature of about -50°C or higher,
10 or a degree of crystallinity greater than that of the first polymer.